



# THE DEMOCRAT.

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## Democratic Ticket, 1852.

FOR PRESIDENT,  
FRANKLIN PIERCE, of N. Hampshire.

FOR VICE-PRESIDENT,  
W. R. KING, of Alabama.

BALLOTS FOR THE STATE AT LARGE.  
JOHN W. STEVENSON, of Kenton.  
BEVERLY L. CLARKE, of Simpson.

1st District—W. R. BURLEY, of Hopkins;  
2d " C. MCKEEVEY, of Davison;  
3d " J. P. BATES, of Bates;  
4th " J. M. COOPER, of Cooper;  
5th " J. M. FOULKE, of Marion;  
6th " J. M. ELLIOTT, of Floyd;  
7th " J. M. FISHER, of Fisher;  
8th " G. W. JOHNSON, of Scott;  
9th " J. M. NEBBETT, of Hatch;  
10th " H. C. HARRIS, of Kenton.

"NO NORTH, NO SOUTH, NO EAST, NO WEST  
UNDER THE CONSTITUTION; BUT A SACRED  
MAINTENANCE OF THE COMMON BOND AND  
TRUE DEVOTION TO THE COMMON BROTHERHOOD."  
—FRANKLIN PIERCE.

FOR CONGRESS—7th District.  
**Culvin Sanders,**  
OF SHELBY COUNTY.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23, 1852.

THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION  
Takes place on Tuesday, the 2nd day of  
November. The polls open at 6 o'clock  
A. M., and close at 7 o'clock P. M.

Religious Test—Zeal of the Journal.  
We learn from the Louisville Journal that some whigs will not vote for Scott because his daughter is a Catholic. Well, that is bigoted of the tallest sort, we must confess; and if some whigs are so gone for as that, is it any wonder that that party has always stood to the way of abolishing the religious test in N. Hampshire? The New York Tribune confessed that a portion of the whigs voted against the proposed Constitution of New Hampshire, because they were opposed to the unjust mode of apportioning representatives in some parts of the State. The Louisville Journal accounted for whig opposition to the vote subsequently taken on specific amendments, because the whig held that the Convention proposing these amendments, had no authority. Here then, were three obstacles in the way of whigs abolishing the religious test. Some whigs are against the new Constitution on account of the apportionment of representatives; others subsequently thought the convention had no authority to propose the specific question of abolishing the test; and finally, there are whigs who will not vote for Scott because his daughter is a Catholic; of course this latter class would vote for a religious test, and not against it; inasmuch as they will make one practically, whether it is in a constitution or not.

But the editor of the Journal has not been making special efforts for the Catholic vote, not he. He has only been warning against intolerance. That would do if it had not been a special intolerance toward Catholics which has enlisted his efforts; whilst he is perfectly blind to intolerance toward others. The North Carolina Constitution excludes from office all who do not believe in the divine authority of the Old and New Testaments; and all who hold religious opinions incompatible with the society of the State. This Constitution excludes Jews and sceptics of all classes; and not only so, it gives the power to disfranchise all whom the judicial authorities believe to hold dangerous religious opinions. The editor of the Journal knows that to be the Constitution of N. Carolina, and his candidate for the presidency has made literally no efforts against this test. So far as we are informed, he is in favor of it.

Now, if our neighbor is only affected with a zeal for religious liberty in general, why has he not objected to his own candidate, Graham?

Why has he kept a profound silence on the intolerance of North Carolina and his own candidate?

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23, 1852.

**A WORD TO ADVERTISERS.**—All the advertisements in our Evening Edition, and receive a gratuity in exchange for it. Thus each patron of the morning paper has advantage of an evening circulation to a distinct class of readers free of charge.

## FACE THE MUSIC!

We are authorized to make the following bet: \$10,000 against \$7,500, that FRANKLIN PIERCE will be elected President on the 2nd of November, or less amounts in some proportion, to accommodate those weak in the faith. Also \$100 each, on New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, and Kentucky, these to be taken together.

## FACE THE MUSIC THE RIGHT WAY, AND NO DODGING.

The Courier is daily passing bets on one State and another, or some combination of States. The bets hitherto offered by the Whigs are all on States that voted for Taylor; avoiding carefully the States that voted for Cass.

Now, we are authorized to offer a bet that will test the sincerity of the Scottites about here, on the point at issue. It's no matter what is thought about this or that State. Who will be elected? that's the question. Here is the offer:

**\$10,000 THAT FRANKLIN PIERCE WILL BE ELECTED PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES IN NOVEMBER NEXT.**

In order, however, that our whig friends may be accommodated who do not wish to go to the \$10,000 at a single dash, they are at liberty to bet from \$1,000 upwards. It is hoped that they will walk up and "face the music."

## WALK UP AND SHOW YOUR COURAGE.

We are authorized to make the following offers to the confident whigs:

1st. A gentleman will bet \$500 that no whig can name three States that will vote for Scott; and \$500 that he can name six States that will vote for Pierce—the two bets to be taken together.

2d. \$500 that no whig can name four States that will vote for Scott; and \$500 that he can name eight States that will vote for Pierce—the two bets to be taken together.

3d. \$500 that no whig can name five States that will vote for Scott; and \$500 that he can name ten that will vote for Pierce—the two to be taken together.

4th. \$500 that no whig can name six States that will vote for Scott; and \$500 that he can name twelve that will vote for Pierce—the two to be taken together.

Another Banter! For River Men!!!



The owner of the steamer LUNETTE, proposes to dispose of said steamer for \$15,000—which is thirty per cent. on cost—payable when Pierce is elected President of the United States.

Here is a rate offer for those who have confidence, and a chance they should not let go by. Don't all speak at once.

Apply on the boat, or at the steamboat agency of Messrs. Moore & Campbell, on Water st., near Wall street.

## RALLY, DEMOCRATS!!

### THEIR WILL BE A MEETING OF THE DEMOCRACY AT JEFFERSON TOWN, K.Y., THIS DAY, (October 22d, 1852.)

Messrs. Caldwell, Carpenter, Willard, and others will address the meeting.

### Democratic Meeting!

Hon. David Meriwether, and Hon. A. P. Willard, Lt. Governor elect from Indiana, will speak at Jeffersontown, Jefferson county, TO-DAY, the 23d inst., on the subject of the Presidential election.

### TURN OUT! TURN OUT!!

### DEMOCRATIC RALLY

Messrs. BULLOCK, KINKEAD, & WHITELEY, will speak at the UNION HALL, on Market street, between Third and Fourth streets,

### THIS EVENING,

COME OUT DEMOCRATS ONE AND ALL.

### DEMOCRATIC MEETING, TURN OUT! TURN OUT!!!

B. GRATZ BROWN, Esq., of St. Louis, will address the citizens of Louisville, at the COURT HOUSE, on MONDAY EVENING NEXT.

Mr. Brown is a sterling democrat, and a good speaker, and bespeak for him a large audience.

### Inquest, No. 71.

Taken by Coroner C. C. Green, on Friday morning, on the body of Jack Howard, a carpenter by trade. Howard was recently from St. Louis, and has a wife in Pennsylvania.

He was of very intemperate habits, and had scarcely drawn a sober breath since he arrived in the city. He was missed from his boarding house last night, and was found dead yesterday morning in Talbot's carpenter shop, in the rear of his shop, on Water street below Ninth.

Verdict—came to his death from intemperance and exposure. No marks of violence found on his body.

### Inquest, No. 72.

Taken by Coroner C. C. Green, on the body of Anton Tower, about 2 o'clock yesterday evening. Two men were at work cutting a prop away which supported a large sycamore tree on the second bank of the canal, below Twelfth street. Tower was sitting on the log smoking his pipe, when the prop suddenly gave way, throwing him on the lower side of the hill, and passing over him, crushed his skull in front and breaking his neck at the first joint below the skull; fracturing the skull covering the small brain. Verdict—Came to his death by accident.

Tower has a truck in the city at some board ing house; the person in possession of it will please bring it to the Coroner's office.

PANORAMA OF IRELAND.—We understand that the exhibition of this beautiful painting will close to night. We would advise all who have not yet seen it, to avail themselves of this opportunity. There will be an exhibition this afternoon for the Schools, at the usual hour. Children, in particular, will be not only highly amused, but instructed in witnessing the musical performances of the young minstrels upon them.

### A DEMOCRAT.

MISS ELIZA LOGAN'S Benefit.—A benefit is announced for Miss Eliza Logan at the theatre on next Tuesday night. Hundreds of citizens will be glad of the opportunity to witness the celebrated old comedy of LONDON ASSURANCE, in which Miss L. personates the character of Lady Gay Spanker, and Mr. Logan that of Mark Medble (his original character). The house will doubtless be crowded on the occasion.

The steamer Old Fellow will be sold again on the 26th inst.—next Tuesday.

**There was a large and enthusiastic democratic meeting at the Market house last night. Mr. Guthrie made a very able and effective speech and was heard with profound attention. We were gratified to hear him allude to the subject of Cuba and the outrages of the authorities of that island. It is high time the pusillanimous conduct of this administration in its foreign policy was fully exposed to the American people.**

Mr. Knadis was called for and made a brief and appropriate address. The meeting was continued some time after we left. The right spirit is awake in the democratic party, and that is a sure omen of victory.

It will be seen by a card in another column that Dr. J. H. Owen has removed his well known drug store from the old premises to No. 568, which is on the same side of the square.

See the notice of lost pocket book in our advertising columns to day.

Will be seen by reference to our amusement column that Madame and Miss Simon will have a grand concert at Mozart Hall on next Tuesday night.

This announcement will be hailed with pleasure by the lovers of music in our city.

We are indebted to the Chancellor for late New Orleans papers.

W. New York Minstrels announce a concert for Wednesday night. Mr. R. H. Sitter, the champion dancer of the world is one of the speakers.

The speech of Col. Taylor, in which he depicted in a clear and truthful light, the great principles and prospects of the Democracy, was received by the good people of this country with loud and hearty shouts. I abandoned with sound arguments, and the democracy of Jasamine will long remember the gallant old editor of the Kentucky Statesman, for his able, manly and eloquent defense of the great leaders of the democratic party. The tribute which Col. Taylor paid to the conduct of Gen. Pierce whilst in Mexico, and the great and glorious list of the democratic men and measures, lit up the countenance of every democrat present, with the wildest enthusiasm.

In the conclusion of his remarks, he stated that the democratic party was emphatically the national party of the country. To prove this, he referred to the flag of our country, around which the democratic party always rally, whether in peace or war. His comparison of the abilities of the candidates of the two parties, for the presidency, was such that I can truly say many of them will be fit for the highest office.

The Colon and Parlor.—We have pursued this admirable picture of the relative position of the master and slave, as it truly exists at the South, with great pleasure, for we have read amongst our Southern brethren, and can bear testimony to the many benevolent scenes of real life as exhibited in this truthful, humorous, and eloquent description of Southern life.

The New Albany Tribune charges that five hundred votes were imported into New Albany. We admit that we were astonished at the large vote given in that city—2160—when Madison and Marion gave 2340, and 2303. Deducting the 2303 from the 2160, the balance of 167 votes imported into New Albany, it would leave 1660 votes for the city proper; which would about correspond with the population, as compared with Madison and Indianapolis. We submit that on paper. Gregg makes a fair show to sustain his charge.—Sentinel.

According to the Tribune, New Albany must be rather declining, contrary to what we had supposed was the fact.

ELIZABETHTOWN, Oct. 17, 1852.

**Messrs. Harvey & Hughes:**

On yesterday, according to previous appointment, the Hon. Joshua F. Bell, addressed the citizens of Hardin county at the Court house in Elizabethtown, in a speech of more than two hours in length. Being the first day of our circuit court, the number of persons present was unusually large. It had been predicted that this would be a dire evil day for the Democracy of Hardin; and the confident boasting of the whigs of the matches eloquence of their champion, would have alarmed the unitered, had they not received implicit confidence in their principles, and been conscious that General Scott was the most vulnerable man ever before the country for the presidency. The day came, and it was not the first time in the history of the whig party, that the vigor and success of the war have not quite come up to the lofty and sounding phrase of the manifesto."

It is true, Mr. Bell is one of the best whig orators in the State, and taking into consideration the cause he advocates, he made a very respectable speech.

He is a gentleman of fine wit and good humor; but it was evident to every impartial listener that he felt deeply the weakness of the cause he advocated. His very ingenious in argument, and in evasion usurped by any speaker I ever listened to. He eulogized General Scott for his great military achievements, and disclosed the astounding fact, hitherto unknown, that during the eventful administration of General Jackson, he (Gen. Scott) was "the power behind the throne greater than the throne itself;" and that he was essentially the master spirit who braved the threatening storm of nullification, and drove back its thunder and lightning into the waters of the Atlantic.

He was answered by Thomas D. Brown, Esq., herefore a whig, who it is well known refused his support to the whig nominees for the presidency, on account of his equivocal position on the subject of the compromise. He is a very bold and fearless speaker, and entered into a very dignified and logical argument in regard to the relative claims of the two candidates for the precinct in which he offers to vote, and he shall vote in said precinct and a lie, well suited to suit his purpose much better than the truth."

The New York Mirror, whig, in copying Chas. O'Connor's letter, says:

"The Colon and Parlor" says that the mouth of the whig standard, who have waited without ceasing to excite a sectarian prejudice against General Pierce, but we shall look in vain to the patriotic press for any retraction of their dishonest charges. Your thorough going politician seems to regard honor as a weakness; and a lie, well suited to suit his purpose much better than the truth."

Yours, respectively,  
JOS. A. WRIGHT.

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NEW CONSTITUTION.  
REVISED STATUTES.

Article 3. Sec. 16. p. 70. All elections by the people shall be held between the hours of six o'clock in the morning, and seven o'clock in the evening.

Article 2. Sec. 8. p. 53. Every white male citizen of the age of twenty one years, who has resided in the State two years, or in the county, town or city in which he offers to vote, one year next preceding the election shall be a voter, but such voter shall have been for a period of six months preceding the election, a resident of the precinct in which he offers to vote, and he shall vote in said precinct and not elsewhere.

**Penalties against frauds on Elections.**

"Any citizen of this State who shall vote in any precinct without having been a resident thereof for sixty days next preceding the election, or who shall vote twice at the same election, shall be fined not less than fifty nor more than one hundred dollars; and, on failing to pay the fine and costs, shall be imprisoned in the county jail till the fine and costs are paid; *Provided*, That he shall not be imprisoned for a longer time than three months."

"Any non-resident of this Commonwealth, who shall vote in this State, shall be subject to confinement in the penitentiary, for not less than one nor more than three years."

"Whoever shall vote in this State before having resided in the same two years, or in the county, town or city where the vote is given one year, also in the preceding year next preceding the election, or before being of the age of twenty one years, shall be fined the sum of fifty dollars; and, on failing to pay the fine and costs, shall be imprisoned in the county jail thirty days."—*SESS. acts. 1850-51, p. 96-97.*

The whig meeting in Madisonville came off on Saturday last. The whig speakers were Col. John P. Cook, Lucian Anderson, and a Mr. Quigley. The democratic speakers were Hon. B. L. Clarke and John A. Finn.

Colonel John P. Cooke spoke first, followed by Honorable B. S. Clarke, and we are informed that Clarke in about 15 minutes entirely rubbed him out. We do not wonder at this. To be sure Mr. Cook is a pretty good debater and indeed is one of the first of his party in this region; but in the hands of Clarke he is a mere child.

Next spoke Mr. Anderson and Mr. Quigley, followed in reply by Colonel Finn, who drove both of them from the field and put them *hors du combat*. Quigley lay down, and Anderson as usual fizzy laid out.

The whigs never had any thing like the Mexican Mustard Liniment in operation. It has been a glorious triumph for the democrats.

SCOTT AND SAWARD.—According to all we hear, the steamer Old Fellow will be sold again on the 26th inst.—next Tuesday.

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NICHOLASVILLE, Oct. 19, 1852.  
**MESSRS. HARNEY & HUGHES:**

Gentlemen:—On yesterday, being County Court day, a very large and respectable number of the people of Jessamine County were addressed, agreeably to appointment, by Henry C. Pinckney, Esq., the assistant whig elector for this district, and that staunch democratic elector, Col. B. B. Taylor of Lexington, and also that arch demagogue of Kentucky whisky, James Harlan, Esq., of Frankfort.

Mr. Pinckney was called for and made a brief and appropriate address. The meeting was continued some time after we left. The right spirit is awake in the democratic party, and that is a sure omen of victory.

It will be seen by a card in another column that Dr. J. H. Owen has removed his well known drug store from the old premises to No. 568, which is on the same side of the square.

See the notice of lost pocket book in our advertising columns to day.

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